

CLAIMS

What is claimed is:

1. A method of conducting a group participation wagering game in combination with an individual participation wagering game, said method comprising:
receiving a first entry from at least one entrant wherein said at least one entrant has made a first wager on the outcome of a sporting event;
receiving a second entry from the at least one entrant wherein said at least one entrant has made a second wager dependent on a winning outcome of the first wager;
awaiting the outcome of the sporting event and determining if the at least one entrant has a winning first wager;
multiplying the winning first wager by a multiplier value; and
adding the amount of the winning first wager and the multiplied value of the first wager together and paying the combined amount to the at least one entrant.
2. The method of claim 1, the step of multiplying the winning first wager by a multiplier value further comprising the step of determining the multiplier value before the outcome of the sporting event.
3. The method of claim 1, the step of multiplying the winning first wager by a multiplier value further comprising the step of determining the multiplier value after the outcome of the sporting event.
4. The method of claim 1, wherein said sporting event is selected from one of the sporting events in the group of sporting events comprising horse racing, dog racing, and jai alai.
5. The method of claim 1, wherein said multiplier value comprises a common multiplier value among all winning first wagers.
6. A method of conducting a group participation wagering game in combination with an individual participation wagering gam , said method comprising:

receiving a first entry from a plurality of entrants wherein each entrant has made a first wager on the outcome of a sporting event;

receiving a second entry from the entrants wherein each entrant has made a second wager dependent on a winning outcome of the first wager;

awaiting the outcome of the sporting event and then determining which of the entrants has a winning first wager;

multiplying each winning first wager by a multiplier value; and

adding the amount of the winning first wager and the multiplied value of the winning first wager together and paying the combined amount to each entrant that made the winning first wager.

7. The method of claim 6, further comprising the step of selecting the value of the multiplier after the first wager has been made.

8. The method of claim 6, further comprising the step of selecting the value of the multiplier before the first wager has been made.

9. The method of claim 7, further comprising the step of selecting the value of the multiplier before the sporting event on which the wager was made has been concluded.

10. The method of claim 7, further comprising the step of selecting the value of the multiplier after the sporting event on which the wager was made has been concluded.

11. A system for a group participation wagering game held in combination with an individual participation wagering game, the system comprising:

means for receiving a first entry from a plurality of entrants wherein each entrant has made a first wager on the outcome of a sporting event;

means for receiving a second entry from the entrants wherein each entrant has made a second wager dependent on a winning outcome of the first wager;

means for comparing the first wagers of the entrants to the outcome of the sporting event and then determining which of the entrants has made a winning first wager;

means for multiplying each winning first wager by a multiplier value;

means for adding the amount of the winning first wager and the multiplied value of the winning first wager together; and

means for paying the combined wagers to each entrant that made the winning first wager.